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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Pierre LEROY

Application No.: 09/927,933

Filed: August 13, 2001

For: NOVEL IMPLANT AND NOVEL

VECTOR FOR THE TREATMENT

OF ACQUIRED DISEASES

Group Art Unit: 2171

Examiner: Unassigned

PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), to correct the inventorship of the above-identified application.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1), Applicant states that the correct inventive entity of the present application is Pierre Leroy and Majid Mehtali. Accordingly, Applicant requests that Majid Methali be added as a coinventor in the present application.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2), this petition is also accompanied by a statement of each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his part.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(3), this petition is also accompanied by a Declaration by the actual inventors as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.63. The present application was filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) as a continuation of Application No.

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08/809,110. Accordingly the newly executed Declaration by the actual inventors as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(iv) is a copy of the declaration filed concurrently with a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) in the parent application.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(4), attached hereto is the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i).

Finally, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(5), this petition is also accompanied by a document showing the written consent of the assignee.

In view of the above, Applicant hereby petitions that the inventive entity be changed from Pierre Leroy to Pierre Leroy and Majid Mehtali.

This Petition is accompanied by the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i). No further fees are believed to be due by this paper. Nevertheless, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any further fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.116 and 1.117 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION OF MAJID MEHTALI

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Sir:

I, Majid Mehtali, hereby declare that the erroneous omission of my name as an inventor of the above-cited application occurred without deceptive intention.

I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date: April 8 2002 By: Majid Mehtali

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032751-012 Attorney's Docket No.

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

NOVEL IMPLANT AND NOVEL VECTOR FOR THE TREATMENT OF ACQUIRED DISEASES

the specifica	tion of which (check only one item below):			
	is attached hereto.			
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	Number PCT FR95/01171 and was amended		September 13, 1995	
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Pederal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §§119 (a)-(d), 172 or 365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

COUNTRY (if PCT, indicate "PCT")	APPLICATION NUMBER 94 10911	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. §§119, 172 or 365	
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Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Utility or Design Patent Application Attorney's Docket No. <u>032751-012</u>
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I hereby appoint the following attorneys and agent(s) to prosecute said application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file, prosecute and to transact all business in connection with international applications directed to said invention:

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)

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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO CHANGE IN INVENTORSHIP PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a)(4)

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Sir:

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Assignee TRANSGENE S.A. hereby consents to amendment of the inventorship of the above-identified application by adding Majid Mehtali as coinventor in the present application with Pierre Leroy.

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